

INSTALLATION AND USER MANUAL



SpeechMike[™] Classic Barcode

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Introduction

Thank you for buying a Philips SpeechMike.

The SpeechMike Classic Barcode has been designed to offer optimum user convenience and greater efficiency for your daily work. This manual covers the installation of the SpeechMike Classic Barcode hardware and software, the handling of the SpeechMike Classic Barcode and the testing of the installation.

SpeechMike Classic Barcode features

- Professional dictation input device for single-handed operation.
- LEDs for visual and built-in loudspeaker for acoustic feedback.
- All buttons can be programmed to suit individual user preferences.

Package contents

- Philips SpeechMike Classic Barcode LFH 6294 with self-adhesive microphone holder.
- Drivers for Windows 98 SE, Windows ME, Windows 2000 and Windows XP.
- SpeechMike **Control Application** to customize button settings for the control of Windows applications such as Microsoft Office and Internet applications.
- SpeechMike sound recorder with enhanced recording and playback features.
- SpeechMike Classic Barcode User Manuals.

Support and feedback

For the latest information not contained in the manual, please refer to the **Readme** file on the SpeechMike CD or go to the **Start** menu, **Programs**, **SpeechMike** and select **Readme**.

For the latest version of the SpeechMike software package, please contact your software vendor.

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Installation

System requirements

- IBM-compatible PC
- USB port
- Minimum of 32 MB RAM recommended
- Windows 98 SE, Windows Me, Windows 2000 or Windows XP

Hardware installation

Windows ME, Windows 2000 and Windows XP:

- 1. Turn on your computer and plug the SpeechMike Classic Barcode into the USB port.
- 2. The New Hardware Found message will be displayed shortly on your screen.

Note: If this message does not appear, verify whether the USB port is enabled in the BIOS of your system. See your hardware documentation for details or contact your hardware vendor.

3. Installation will proceed automatically.

Windows 98 SE:

Note: The Windows 98 Second Edition CD contains the USB drivers for the microphone and loudspeaker only. The drivers for the LED display and dictation buttons must be installed from the SpeechMike CD before connecting the hardware.

- 1. Turn on your computer and insert the SpeechMike CD without plugging the SpeechMike Classic Barcode into the USB port.
- 2. Autorun.exe will start. If this program is not run when you insert the SpeechMike CD, start setup manually by doing the following:
 - Double-click the My Computer icon on the desktop.
 - Double-click the CD-ROM drive icon; you will be shown the contents of the CD.
 - Start the program autorun.exe by double-clicking it.
- Click Install to begin installation. When you are prompted to select the components you wish to install, select the Control application, the SpeechMike recorder and the SpeechMike driver. Follow the instructions on the screen to install the software components.
- 4. Remove the SpeechMike CD and insert your Windows 98 SE CD.
- 5. Plug the SpeechMike Classic Barcode into the USB port. Windows will find a total of four new devices.
- 6. When the Add New Hardware Wizard starts, click Next.
- 7. On the next screen, make sure that **Search for the best driver for your device.** (Recommended) is selected. Then click Next.

- On the following screen, the only option selected should be Specify a location, and the path of the Windows\inf subfolder should be displayed in the field. If necessary, uncheck all other options and click Next.
- 9. Windows will now start looking for the necessary files; click Next.

Note: The required files from the Windows 98 SE CD can be found in the Setup/Win98 subdirectory, browse to this directory and click **OK**.

- 10. After the first part of the installation has been completed successfully, click Finish.
- 11. Repeat steps 6–10 until all four SpeechMike Classic Barcode components are installed correctly .



Software installation

Note: A user must have administrator rights to install the program under Windows 2000 or Windows XP. Contact your system administrator if you need help.

Windows ME, Windows 2000 and Windows XP:

The SpeechMike Classic Barcode software is delivered on a CD. When you insert the SpeechMike CD into your CD-ROM drive, autorun.exe is started. Select **Install** to begin the installation. If this program is not run when you insert the SpeechMike CD, start setup manually by doing the following:

- 1. Double-click the My Computer icon on the desktop.
- 2. Double-click the CD-ROM drive icon; you will be shown the contents of the CD.
- 3. Start the program autorun.exe by double-clicking it and select Install.

Windows 98 SE:

The software has already been installed as part of the hardware installation described above.

Handling the SpeechMike Classic Barcode

Place the SpeechMike in the palm of your hand with the thumb on the 4-position switch and your index finger across the trigger underneath.

American Edition

SpeechMike Classic Barcode Buttons:

International Edition



Microphone functions

When the SpeechMike Classic Barcode is installed correctly, the microphone and speaker functions and the Record, Play/Stop, Fast Rewind and Fast Forward functions are available and ready for use.

Additional button functions

The buttons on the SpeechMike can also be assigned additional functions depending on the application and whether the buttons are used in a programmed mode. For more information on individual button settings and on how to program buttons, consult the Software Manual.

Barcode Scanner

The SpeechMike Classic Barcode has a built-in bar code scanner that can be programmed to suit the application you are using. The scanner is connected to the PC via the USB interface. The scanner supports the following standards: EAN, UPC, Code 128, Code 39, Code 93, 2 out of 5 family, Codabar, Code 11, MSI Code and Interleaved 2/5.

Configuring the scanner

Your SpeechMike Classic Barcode is preconfigured with the keyboard language US English and the suffix "carriage return" (CR). Before using the Barcode Scanner for the first time, it is necessary to adapt it to your local keyboard language. This must normally be carried out once only.

To change the scanner configuration, call up the scanner configuration program **Barcodeconfig.exe** on the SpeechMike Classic CD. With this application, you can easily change the keyboard language, prefix, suffix and beep tones.

For more information on adapting the barcode scanner to your individual needs, consult the 6294 Barcode Integration Guide on the CD.

Using the scanner

The barcode scanner is activated by pressing the scanner trigger button. The device will scan for 3 seconds each time the trigger is depressed. When the barcode has been scanned successfully, the device will beep and the numbers and letters of the barcode are inserted into the currently active application.

Each time a code is scanned, the code is inserted into the active application with a prefix and a suffix. This prefix and suffix can be adapted to your needs (text or keyboard command) by using the scanner configuration program **Barcodeconfig.exe** on the SpeechMike Classic installation CD. The default suffix is a carriage return (CR).

Installing the microphone holder



Clean the mounting location carefully, for example with alcohol, and let dry. Remove the protective film from the adhesive strip on the back of the microphone holder and affix to the cleaned location.

Troubleshooting

For the latest information not included in the user manual, please refer to the **Readme** file. The file can be found on the SpeechMike CD and in the SpeechMike program group in the **Start** menu.

If you are using your SpeechMike Classic Barcode with Windows 98 SE, check that all components are installed properly as follows:

- 1. Go to the Start menu and select Settings, Control Panel.
- Double-click the Multimedia icon; ensure that USB audio device is selected for playback and recording. If the SpeechMike is not available in the Control Panel, unplug it and reconnect it.
- 3. Ensure that the following components are installed in the Device Manager:

Under Human Interface Devices:

- USB human interface device
- HID compliant consumer control device
- HID human interface device

Under Keyboards:

• HID-compliant keyboard

Under Universal Serial Bus Controllers:

- Generic USB Hub
- USB composite device
- USB composite device

Under Sound, video and game controllers:

- USB audio device
- USB audio device

Attention:

Using the SpeechMike Classic Barcode together with certain USB hubs on certain PCs may cause the operating system to freeze during booting.

Workaround: Unplug your SpeechMike before booting and reconnect it afterwards. To solve this problem, we recommend replacing the USB hub or connecting your SpeechMike Classic Barcode directly to the USB port of your computer.

Warning

The cable of your SpeechMike can be damaged if it is kinked or if it is pulled or twisted too much. Please handle the cable carefully to ensure the best possible performance of your SpeechMike.

If the LEDs and buttons of your SpeechMike Classic Barcode do not work correctly, refer to the **Readme** file.

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